

IN THE CLAIMS:

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1. (original) An apparatus for producing optical aperture comprising: a pressing body covering a tip of an object for aperture formation and at least a part of stoppers of the object; wherein the pressing body is displaced toward the tip for forming an aperture on a point of the tip that an opaque film formed on.

2. (original) An apparatus for producing optical aperture comprising: a pressing body having a plane, the pressing body covering a tip of an object for aperture formation and at least a part of stoppers of the object; and a loader for loading the pressing body toward the tip for forming an aperture on a point of the tip that an opaque film formed on.

3. - 11. (canceled)

12. (original) An apparatus for producing optical aperture according to claim 2; further comprising a work having the object for aperture; a magnifying glass for measuring amount of the work's curve; a load controller for controlling a direction of the loader to make the direction being perpendicular to the tip.

13. - 29. (canceled)